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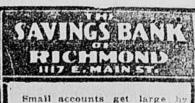
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Dr. Taylor Improving From Operation.
Dr. Hugh M. Taylor, of 218 East
Franklin Street, who underwent a
perious operation two weeks ago at
the University Hospital. Philadelphia,
returned to his home yesterday greatly
improved. The operation, which was
performed by Dr Charles H. Frazier,
of the University of Pennsylvania, was
highly successful.

Gets Two Years in Prison. tura Helloway, colored, indicted ting a diamond ring, valued at \$250; ranctone, was convicted yesterday in tings Court, the jury bringing in t of two years in the penitentiary.

Fined \$100 for Speeding Auto. ing through streets of the West End.

TASTE OF WARFARE ALL FORCES UNITE FOR STATE TROOPS

Active Part in Summer's Manoeuvres.

Part in "Battle of Washington."

Citizen soldiers of Virginia will be given a taste of actual warfare next summer, when, with the troops of 'six States, they will participate in a huge war game to be staged on Virginia soil, the outlines of which have just been received by Adjutant-General William Wilson Sale from the War Department, which will superintend the manoeuvres No date has been set for the manoeu No date has been set for the manoeuvres, but it is more than probable that they will be held early in July, and will last for ten or more days.

The manoeuvres will take the form of an attack on the city of Washington The Seventh and Flighth Divisions.

ton. The Seventh and Eighth Divisions of the National Guard, of which the of the National Guard, of which the Virginia Volunteers are an integral part, will take part in the game. The Seventh Division, formed wholly of troops from the State of Pennsylvania, will be the attacking party, while those of Virginia, West Virginia, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, reinforced by cavaler for forced by cavalry from Fort Myer, will defend the city. The latter will be the only members of the regular United States army to take part in the attack

Virginia in Limelight.

Virginia will be strictly in the limelight during the manoeuvres, as the whole of the game will be staged on its soil. The attacking troops will land at some point on Chesapeake Bay, while the defending army will be scattered over a wide territory to real them. over a wide territory to repel them. This State will furnish forty companies of infantry, divided into three regiments of twelve companies each, and one separate battalion of four companies; three batteries of field artillery; a field hospital and one field company of the street each of the company of the street each of the street eac

pany of the signal corps.

General A. L. Mills, chief of the Division of Militia Affairs of the United States Army, will superintend the The defending army will be com-manded by Brigadier-General Charles D. Gaither, of the Maryland National

Guard, the ranking officer of the Eighth Division. He has already taken steps to prevent the "enemy" from outwit-ting him and his soldiers. while the date of the attack and de-fense has not yet been set, it is stated that it will last at least ten days. It will be the most comprehensive war problem held by the militia since the big manoeuvres at Manassas ten years ago. More than 25,000 soldiers will take part.

The Pennsylvania National Guard comprises four brigades of infantry, we squadrons of cavalry, four bat-eries of field artillery, two companies corps and one field hospital. The de-fending army will include thirteen reg-iments of infantry, three troops of cavalry, five batteries of field artillery, two companies of engineers, two com-panies of the signal corps and two field hospitals.

Richmond Well Represented
Richmond will be well represented
at the manoeuvres. There are two battalions of infantry located here, the
Richmond Light Infantry Blues' Battallon, which is not assigned to any egiment, and the Richmond Grays' Bat-tallon, of the First Virginia Regiment.

ties of the farm life, many industrious and thrifty young people should be attracted to the country life. While

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More Than 25,000 Men Will Take Farm Demonstration Work Will Believes It Will Lead to More Be Taken Over by Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

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Conference With State

Officials.

Governor Stuart formally sanctioned the movement for the abolition of the United Agricultural Board of Education. With such Inited States Department of Agriculture, Governor Stuart, State Commissioner of Agriculture Koiner, the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, after a conference of the various aerlean sembly as bill to accomplish this result. It was offered in the Senate by Senators Watkins and Mapp, and in the House by Delegates Adams and Lewis.

The effort to consolidate all demonstration agencies now has the cordial support of all interested persons. The pending bill has been indorsed by the United States Department of Agriculture, Governor Stuart, State Commissioner of Agriculture, Governor Stuart, State Commissioner of Agriculture Koiner, the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Farm Demonstrator T. O. Sandy, and the State Board of Education. With such laste of the United Agricultural Board is sealed.

Reviewed Situation.

Governor Stuart went into the situation yesterday in conference with President J. D. Eggleston, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Farm personal property. Furthermoving the place of the United Agricultural Board is sealed.

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As a result of the conference all interests concerned have been harmonized. Whatever conflicting ideas there may have been in the past on the subject of farm demonstration work seem to have been unified and the way cleared for concentrated action. The

seem to have been unified and the way cleared for concentrated action. The board itself has expressed a desire to be dissolved, the Virginia Polytechnic Institute has repeatedly voiced the wish to undertake complete control of the farm demonstration work, and Commissioner Koiner has retterated his belief in the value of demonstration and lief in the value of demonstration and the wisdom of placing it under the di-rection of the agricultural college.

the girls' garden clubs and absorbed functions theretofore exercised by sev-eral different departments of the State. Friction within the board resulted in a revision of its constituency by the General Assembly of 1912 and the Commissioner of Agriculture, who had occupied a seat on the board, was dropped. As now constituted, the board is composed of: the Governor, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the general director of demonstration work of the United States Department of Agriculture; and the Virginia di-rector of the demonstration work of the United States Department of Agri-

Virginia Soldiers Will Have Stuart Sanctions Movement After Bill Has Support of Governor

Honest Assessment and Further Reductions.

A reduction in the State tax rate or

more, we believe that when this is announced as the policy of the General Assembly, the people will meet us more than half-way. There will be fairer assessments of real estate and more general returns of personal property. When all property in the State is placed on the tax books at its fair value, there can be a still further considerable reduction in the rate of taxasiderable reduction in the rate of taxa-

"I am thoroughly in sympathy with the plan for reducing the State tax rate," said Speaker Cox yesterday. "It heartily in favor of it."

tangible personal property, and in-tangible personal property, except money, for State purposes, for the year beginning February 1, 1915, and each year thereafter.

rection of the agricultural college.

Objects of Board.

The United Agricultural Board was created by the General Assembly to conduct the farm demonstration work of the State and to co-ordinate with the demonstration work of the United States Department of Agriculture and the several countles of Virginia. It supervised the boys' corn clubs and the girls' garden clubs and absorbed proceeds of which shall be applied to the expenses of the government and the indebtedness of the State; and the further tax of 10 cents on every \$100 of the assessed value thereof, the proceeds of which shall be applied to the support of the public free schools of the State; and the further tax of 5 the State; and the further tax of 5 cents on every \$100 of the assessed value thereof, throcepee ETAOIN shall be applied to the payment of

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The movement for placing the demonstration work under the agricultural money on deposit with any bank or rector of the demonstration work of the United States Department of Agriculture.

The movement for placing the demonstration work under the agricultural college was hastened by the Smith-Lever bill, which is expected to be passed at the present session of Congress. This measure provides an appropriation of \$10,000 from the Pedagricultural college of each State in farm demonstration work.

PLAN FOR CAMPAIGN

Protestant Ministers and Laymen Will Meet To-Night at Central Y, M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the various Protestant churches are expected to be present tonight at a meeting at the central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the various Protestant churches are expected to be present tonight at a meeting at the Central P. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the various Protestant churches are expected to be present tonight at a meeting at the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the various Protestant churches are expected to be present tonight at a meeting at the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the various Protestant churches are expected to be present tonight at a meeting at the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the various Protestant churches are expected to be present tonight at a meeting at the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Central Y. M. C. A. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Central P. Levent Ministers and laymen of the Central P. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Central P. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the University of the State of State taxation for the year begins to the Central R. P. Between 100 and 150 ministers and laymen of the Various Protestant Central P. Between 100 and

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In the Maryland Cavalry, and finished with the rank of captain. He was one of four sons who entered the Confedlaw in the Southern armies. He has also been commander of the Virginia Camp, United Confederate Veterans. General Macgill has never used to-bacco in any form, and despite his threescore years and ten, made fifty-two-mile trip on horseback two rate," said Speaker Cox yesterday. "It have returned home that night, he is recommended by the Auditor of Public Accounts. The patron has consulted me in regard to this bill, and I am heartly in favor of it." was kicked.

Text of Bill.

The full text of the bill follows:

A Bill,

To prescribe the tax rate upon lands and the improvements thereon, and went to his own home, where he waited more than two hours for the arrival more than two hours for the arrival of a physician. When brought to the hospital he underwent an operation without the use of annesthetics. General Macgill recently purchased a farm near Ashland, and will make his home there after winding up the affairs on his Bedford estate.

MAY GO TO JURY TO-DAY

C. H. Green Charges Lawyers With Negligence.
The case of C. H. Green, suing Edgar B.
English and the law firm of Fulton &
O'Fisherty for \$2,000 damages, probably will
go to the Jury in the Law and Equity
Court to-day.
Green alleges that it was through the
negligence of these three attorneys that a
verdict of \$2,000 damages he obtained in the
same court against the Virginia Railway and
Power Company was not sustained by the
Supreme Court of Appeals.
Green is represented by the law firm of
Smith & Gordon, and the defendants are
represented by Charles V. Meredith, W. Kirk
Matthews and Richard Evelyn Byrd.

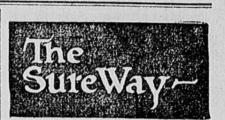
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But Lack of Quorum of Senate Committee Prevents Hearing

Towns only Senator Cannon, of Rich mond, appeared. The others, it was explained, were too thoroughly tired out with the long debate on the en-abling act to attend night committee meetings. Representatives of every H. Green Charges Lawyers With Neglibusiness organization in Richmond, in cluding President Reed and ex-President and the law firm of Fulton & Green State of Carrington, of the Chamber of dent Carrington, of the Chan Commerce, with Secretary Business Manager Dabney and the bill, as were Secretary Walford, James L. Anderson and a committee from the Business Men's Club, Secre-tary Clerke, of the Retail Merchants' Association, and many other Rich-

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